DAN GROSVENOR SAYS:

"Peruna Is an Excellent Spring Catarrh a bad case of catarrh and I know it will cure any other sufferer from that Remedy--I am as Well as Ever."



HON. DAN A. GROSVENOR, OF THE FAMOUS OHIO FAMILY. Hon. Dan. A. Grosvenor. Deputy Auditor for the War Department, in a

Tetter written from Washington, D. C., says:

"Allow me to express my gratitude to you for the benefit derived from one bottle of Peruna. One week has brought wonderful changes and I am now as well as ever. Besides being one of the very best spring tonics it is an excellent catarrh remedy." Very respectfully, Dan A. Grosvenor. bottle of Peruna. One week has brought wonderful changes and I am now as well as ever. Besides being one of the very best spring tonics it is an excellent catarrh remedy." Very respectfully, Dan A. Grosvenor.

Hon. John Williams, County Compulsioner, of 517 West Second street, regard to Peruna: "As a remedy for the Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

catarrh I can cheerfully recommend Peruna. I know what it is to suffer from that terrible disease and I feel that it is my duty to speak a good word for the tonic that brought me immediate relief. Peruna cured me of

Miss Mattle L. Guild, President Illinois Young People's Christian Temperance Union, in a recent letter from Chicago, Ill., says:

"I doubt if Peruna has a rival in all the remedies recommended to-day for catarrh of the system. A remedy that will cure catarrh of the stomach will cure the same condition of the mucous membrane anywhere. I have found it the best remedy I have ever tried for catarrh, and believing it worthy my endorsement I gladly accord it."

Mrs. Elmer Fleming, orator of Reservoir Council, No. 168, Northwestern Legion of Honor, of Minneapolis Minn., writes from 2535 Polk St., N. E.

"I have been troubled all my life with ca-tarrh in my head. I took Peruna for about three months, and now think I am permanently cured. I be-lieve that for catarrh in all its forms, Peruna is the medicine of the age. It cures when all other



remedies fall. I can heartily recom mend Peruna as a catarrh remedy." The spring is the time to treat ca-arrh. Cold, wet winter weather often retards a cure of catarrh. If a course of Peruna is taken during the early spring months the cure will be prompt and permanent. There can be no failures if Peruna is taken intelligently during the favorable weather of spring. As a systemic catarrh remedy Peruna eradicates catarrh from the sys-

tem wherever it may be located. I cures catarrh of the stomach or bow els with the same certainty as catarrh of the head.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman,

THE PRESIDENT'S ITINERARY.

To Travel 10,500 Miles Through 23 States And Territories.

WILL LAY OVER ON SUNDAYS.

Washington, April 16 .- The President and party will leave Washington on April 29. The members of his cabinet will accompany him except Messrs. Gage, Root and Knox; also stenographers, a number of newpaper men with cameras, and representatives of the Western Union and Postal telegraph companies. The route laid out is by way of Vieksburg and Jackson to New Orleans where a day will be spent, during which will be visited the old building which was the Spanish and French capitol and where the "Louisiana Purchase" was transferred from Spain to France and from France to the United States. In Texas, Houston, Austin, San Antonio and El Paso will be visited, remaining over Sunday at El Paso. Thence via Maricopa to Phoenix, Arizona, thence through California points to De Monte, where a Sunday lay over will occur. Then to San Jose and other towns to San Francisco where the party will remain from Tuesday a. m. until the following Monday, when the party will pass north through Oregon and Washington, spending Sunday at Spokane.

After visiting Butte and Helena in Montana, to Cinabar where stages will take the party to Yellowstone Park, where between two and three days will be spent. The route then diverges to Salt Lake City where another Sunday lay over will be had. From there the train will be run to Ogden and a few hours will be spent at Glenwood Springs, Colorado, passing thence through the Royal Gorge to Denver. Chevenne will be visited from Denver. with a return trip to Colorado Springs for a two days' rest and sight seeing. From there through Pueblo, to Kansas.

In Kansas brief stops will be made on Saturday, June 6 at Junction City, Topeka, Lawrence, Baldwin and Ottawa, running into Kansas City in the evening to remain over Sunday. Leaving there a stop of several hours will be made at St. Joseph. On the way to Chicago stops will occur at Davenport. Moline and at the arsenal at Rock Island. A stop at Chicago will occur from 3:30 p. m. until after a banquet at night, leaving then for Buffalo to attend the Pan-American exposition. A day will be spent at Niagara Falls, after which the train will roll on to Washington, arriving Saturday June 15 at 5 p. m.

The total distance traveled will be about 10,500 miles, crossing twentythree states and territories and touching the Gulf of Mexico, the Pacific ocean and the great lakes. Twentyseven railroads are embraced in the itinerary.

While the president may make short addresses at several of the large cities and at some of the colleges and universities, it is not at all likely that he will make as many speeches as have been delivered in the course of previous trips.

Kitchener Gets Rallroad Terminus.

London, April 11.-Lord Kitchener. reporting to the war office says: "Plumer has occupied Pietersburg

with slight opposition. He captured two locomotives and 39 trucks." The capture of Pietersburg is regarded here as important. The place is terminus of the railway and has been

the capital of the Boer government since the evacuation of Pretoria. The whole northern railway is now in the hands of the British.

Bernard Kelly's Son. Topeka, April 15 -Thyron Kelly, son of Bernard Kelly, formerly United States pension agent at this point, but now a chaplain in the regular army, is in prison in Mexico. He was thrown in jail because he was a member of a crew whose train killed a Mexican. He has been at work on the Mexican Central. His father will endeavor to secure his release from prison through the state department at Washington.

Election Frauds in Denver. Denver, April 11.-Mrs. M. Ratcliffe is under arrest on the charge of knowingly voting at the wrong precinct. R. L. Meyers is arrested, charged with buying a vote with a dollar. The three judges who accepted the purchased vote one minute after the polls had legally closed, were also arrested. They furnished bonds in the sum of \$500 each. The tax reform league has decided to increase its fund for the prosecution of election frauds from \$10,000 to \$20,000. Committees representing both parties are co-operating in causing arrests.

Shafter Turned Down. Washington, April 16 .- In June '98

General Shafter asked for a credit of \$2,600 with which to entertain at Tampa, Florida, representatives of foreign governments in his camp. The then secretary of war complied and now a claim is put in for \$699 more which the comptroller of the treasury refused to pay for the reason that it was "extended without authority of law for subsistence, wines and liquors struck the curve, which is very sharp furnished foreign military attaches accompanying the army into the field."

MAKING RESERVOIRS

On Government Land Secures Right t Topeka, April 16 .- "Western Kansas

is profiting immensely by the federal water right law," said E. F. Tennant, the well known republican editor of Goodland, Kansas, recently. "Under this act the government allows every person who will build a reservoir of an acre or more in extent the right to use the quarter section of public land upon which the reservoir is located. Absolute title is not given, but in time it no doubt will be. In our county a large number of people have taken claims under the law and built reservoirs. The reservoirs are usually fed by wells and springs. Some, however, are fed by water from the creeks in the spring time. Enough water can be caught in the spring to last through the summer. These reservoirs on the upland make it as easy to raise cattle there as along the creeks. Some of the ranchmen are stocking the ponds with fish. It is believed that the establishment of numerous reservoirs in the western part of the state will cause more rainfall. They will at least check

Glad Gov. Allen Will Return.

San Juan, P. I., April 15-The following message has been sent to Washingington: "Secretary Hay:-Please say to president, news of governor's return received with rejoicing. Will tender him ovation on arrival. People of Porto Rico duly represented by members of the the legislature express their complete and absolute accord with president's and governor's policy in government. They all approve their actions, placing their hopes for the future in governor's caution, tact and sound judgment. He has the respect and devotion of the great majority of Porto Rico representing loyalty and love to country, striving for its propress, sweeping away of traditional obstacles."

Columbian Shin Plasters.

Washington, April 13 .- The state department has received from United States Consul Ingersoll, at Cartagena, a copy of a decree issued by the Colombian government fixing duties upon certain products of that country. The duties are payable in the national paper currency of Colombia, which is rated at \$1 paper to 10 cents gold, Some of the duties on the more important articles are \$3 per 100 pounds on cleaned coffee; \$5 on manufactured tobacco: \$5 on crude rubber: \$2 on raw cotton, and \$3 on cattle hides. Ores and minerals are taxed \$20 per metric

Rural Registration Required.

Topeka, April 15.-Assistant Attorney General Tracy has rendered an opinion on the law passed last winter, by which the legislature thought it was requiring voters in Sumner and Montgomery counties to register before voting, in reality applies to the whole state, and that the voters in rural districts will be required to register the same as voters in cities do now in order to vote. Though not the intent of the legislature to pass such a law, the attorney declares that it did do so. This is another illustration of the effect of late and basty action by

Viceroys Ask Certain Reforms.

Shanghai, April 11.-The Yang Tse viceroys and governors have forwarded a memorial to the throne, suggesting certain reforms. These reforms suggest, among other things that the royal princes and students of good families in the travel and study in foreign countries; and the entire army be drilled by western methods; that colleges and schools be extended, and that a standard dollar currency be adopted.

A Policy of Magnanimity.

Chicago, April 11 .- The anniversary of the surrender of General Lee at Appomatox was celebrated by the Hamilton club with an elaborate banquet. President Angell, in his speech declared that in his opinion the administration of President McKinley in dealing with China has been "following the same wise and magnanimous noble policy which General Grant himself would have followed if he had been president of the United States a policy of magnaniminity and justice."

Goes Over Till September. Topeka, April 11.-The Jessie Morri son murder case at El Dorado will not be tried until September. Captain Joseph G. Waters, who assisted in the prosecution of the first case, made this announcement. The case was called for trial at the March term of court. but there was not enough names in the jury box from which a jury could be secured, so by common consent the case went over until the June term. Both sides have consented to let it go over until September.

Electric Car Wreck.

Cripple Creek, Colo., April 16 .- An electric car on the high line of the Cripple Creek district failway jumped the track and turned over at the terminal station, injuring the motorman and ten of the passengers. At the head of Poverty gulch, several blocks from town, the motorman partially lost control of the air brake. The car was running 20 miles an hour when it at the point where the wreck occurred. Twenty people were on the car.

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NO RUN OR RUSH TO REGISTER

Washington, April 13 .- No plan has been definitely determined upon by the interior department, but of the plans considered, that which stands the best chance of adoption runs along the following lines:

"There will be a period of registration, lasting thirty or forty days prior to the opening, during which each applicant for these lands will be required to show by written proofs that he is qualified to make homestead entry and actually desires to do so as a means of procuring a home. If his proof is satisfactory he will be registered as a qualified applicant and given a certificate and he will draw a number which will determine the order in which he will be permitted, at the opening, to make a selection of land.

The work of registration will continue until the qualifications of all applicants, and the order in which they will be permitted to select land, have been determined. The registration certificates will not be transferable, and to make the identification of applicants complete so that there may be no transfers the applicants will be photographed by a rapid process which can now be utilized at slight cost to the government.

No advantage will be obtained by being the first to register and all will have an equal chance of drawing the first number. When completed, the registration will show the numbers which are not drawn, and at the opening they will be disregarded.

The man who registers on the last day will have the same opportunity of drawing one of the earlier numbers as does the man registering on the first day. Those who draw the first 10,000 number at the Kiowa registration will know that there will be lands on which their right of selection can be exercised, and those who draw the first 3,000 numbers at the Wichita registration will have the same assurance. Those who draw numbers much in excess of these figures will know that at the opening all the lands will be exhausted before their numbers are reached, and they have been unsue-

The applicants will be permitted to freely travel over and become familiar with the lands to be opened so as to qualify them to intelligently and advisedly make a selection of land at the opening. The proclamation will prescribe what persons may make selection on each day after the openingas for instance: On the first day, those who hold numbers from I to 300, inclusive; on the second day, those who hold numbers from 301 to 600, inclusive. and so on until all the lands have been

No one will be permitted to effect a settlement until after he has selected his land and made entry. It will not be possible to have more than one claimant for the same tract, and every claimant, after making selection and entry, will have the full assurance that stead law he will receive full title to

Large maps showing each quarter section will be posted at the land office showing at all times the lands selected and unselected, and small maps will be distributed which will materially assist applicants in noting other selections and in making their

A big brass band has been organized at Braman.

To Select Grazing Lands.

Anaderko, I. T., April 16 .- At a council of the leading members of the Kiowa and Comanche Indians, held here, it was decided to empower the agent Colonel Randlett, to select the 480,000 acres of grazing lands provided for in the bill opening the reservation to settlement. This removes what promised to be a serious obstacle. Chief Quanah Parker presided, and the Kiowas, who have been slow to take their allotments, agreed to select their claims at once.

Bunching Department Stores. New York, April 11.-Official notice of the combination of department stores was given by J. Pierpont Morgan & Co., who solicit subscriptions of the stock of the Associated Merchants' company. The company is capitalized at \$20,000,000 and proposes to acquire dry goods business or interests in this and other cities. The prospectus states that a one-half interest has been secured in two of the largest in the city and that another, James McCreery & Co's has been bought outright.

A Jury of Masons. Guthrie, Okla., April 16.-George Cooper, a farmer living near here, made an unusual request in the Logan county district court in the suit brought against him by the Guthrie & Western railroad company, involving damages for land taken from Cooper. Cooper asked that the case be heard by a jury of seven Masons, instead of the usual court jury. The railroad company, whose attorney is a Mason, consented, and a jury of seven Masons

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Remedies for Cold Sores.

You can use nothing better for cold sores than pure glycerine; peroxide of hydrogen is also good. Apply with a bit of absorbent cotton the moment the little disfiguring blister begins to form, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. You might also try the followinghave it prepared by your druggist: Oxide of zinc, 30 grains; cold cream, 11/2

Naturalist Once Made Lead Pencils, A curious discovery was made in Concord, Mass., recently. In the attic of the Thoreau homestead was found a quantity of lead pencils all be ring the stamp "Thoreau & Son." The naturalist and his father once made lead pencils for a living, and for years a great store of their completed product was hidden away just under the ridgepole of the homestead.

Color Effects on Silkworms.

M. Camille Flammarion, the wellknown astronomer, has been studying the effect of colored light on silkworms. White light yields the maximum production of silk. Next to white light the purple of the red end of the spectrum gives the best results. Blue rays increase the number of males and "warm" rays the number of eggs

laid by females.-London Globe.

The number of buildings damaged or destroyed by lightning in 1899 was 5,527; in addition to these 729 caught fire as a result of proximity to other structures that were fired by lightning. The approximate loss in 2,825 cases was \$3,016,000. In 3,431 cases the amount of loss was not reported. A conservative estimate of the total loss by lightning during the year would be